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Scott.

A while ago both Michael Szerlog and I contacted you about setting up a GIS for Bristol Bay (formerly Pebble Mine). Attached is a description of data owned by The Nature Conservancy that they are willing to share with us. We would like to have all of this information available to us if possible. We are also expecting data from the Pebble Limited Partnership, the company proposing to mine the Pebble deposit.

We are in the process of establishing a contract with NatureServe to describe the resources and analyze risks in the Bristol Bay watershed. Part of that description and analysis will of course be spatial and quantitative. That effort will happen start in the next month or so and happen over the next four months. This is a heads up that we will be sharing information and otherwise working with them.

I have to admit to being unclear about just what we want you to do for now. Perhaps it is to help us figure out how to get the data into our possession in a form we can retrieve. You might call Michael if you have any questions. He is more technically savvy then me and has a better mental picture of what we need. Or call me.

Thanks Phil

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From: "Erin Dovichin" <edovichin@TNC.ORG>

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Hello Phil,

I was out of the office today. I'll give you a call tomorrow. Attached is a review of data TNC did several months ago.

My best, Erin

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